

Podcast Editing Culmination Project Proposal

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Executive summary

This project will be a film titled “Final Struggle”, which I will direct and edit a short movie with an estimated runtime of approximately 10 minutes. The film will be about a student struggling to complete a project on time as the semester is ending. The student has plans to reunite with a friend who was very busy during the semester and set up a hangout spot in a park after their classes end. I will oversee script writing, shooting footage, and editing. The reason I picked this project was because I was inspired by a classmate who filmed a short video about a big brother teaching the little brother how to play chess. For this project I’ll be using premiere pro to edit the footage. For capturing said footage, I will be using my iPhone 12 as I personally find it easier to manage. I would need to plan multiple meetings with my team to discuss all information about the project like its expected time of completion, script, progress. I never had to shoot my own film as I’ve only edited footage I’m given so for this project my challenges will be to use what I’ve learned through my classes on storyboarding, scripting, and filming. I would learn to use those skills effectively throughout this project’s process and communicate with the subject in a timely manner to complete this effectively. After this project is completed, I can add it to my personal portfolio to show potential clients what I’m capable of.

Project Description

The film will be recorded on an iPhone both handheld and on tripods. The footage will then be edited on Premiere Pro. I will discuss the script, shot list, everything with the subjects of film for a clear understanding of what is needed to complete this project effectively.

Methods

- Handheld/ Tripod held camera recording.
- Premier Pro software for editing footage.
- Script for subject to read and follow.
- Shot list/story board for effective use of time for recording shots.

Deliverables

1. Script
2. Shot List
3. Equipment List
4. Schedule (GANNT)
5. Budget Estimate

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Required resources.

1. Access to Premiere Pro
2. Laptop/PC with the software
3. Wi-Fi
4. Transportation to locations
5. Tripods

Budget

Item	Estimate amount	Total spent
Working Laptop	2000.00	1600.00
Adobe Software	300.00	239.00
Travel Budget	100.00	100.00
Tripods	100.00	40.00
Estimate	\$2500.00	Total \$1799.00

Schedule/Calendar

Task	Start	End	Duration
Meet with subject	6/25/2023	6/26/2023	1
establish future meeting times	6/26/2023	6/27/2023	1
Fully discuss desired edits/directions	6/28/2023	6/29/2023	1
create script/lists/and revision	6/30/2023	7/14/2023	14
purchase equipment	7/17/2023	7/27/2023	10
begin filming	7/18/2023	7/30/2023	12
begin editing footage	8/1/2023	8/25/2023	25
turn in	8/26/2023	8/27/2023	1

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